

JOB OPPORTUNITY  
DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH AND ADDICTION SERVICES (DMHAS)  
WESTERN CONNECTICUT MENTAL HEALTH NETWORK (WCMHN)

PRINCIPAL PSYCHIATRIST – WC89205 (possible underfill as Staff Psychiatrist)

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**Open To:** The Public

**Location:** Young Adult Services – Waterbury Area Office

**Job Posting No:** WC89205

**Hours:** Part-Time – 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. – 24 Hours/Week

**Hourly Salary Range:** Principal Psychiatrist \$90.72 to \$108.20 / Staff Psychiatrist \$78.07 to \$91.29

**Posting Date:** September 9, 2015 **Closing Date:** September 15, 2015

**For Principal Psychiatrist: General Experience:** Incumbents in this class must possess and retain certification as a specialist in psychiatry by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology or board certification in Adult or Child and Adolescent Psychiatry.

**Special Requirements:** Incumbents in this class must possess and retain a license to practice medicine and surgery in Connecticut. A temporary license may be granted for a period not to exceed one (1) year. Incumbents in this class must possess and maintain eligibility for participation in federal health care programs as defined in 42 U.S. 1320a-7b(f). Incumbents in this class may be required to possess and retain certification as a specialist in an area such as geriatrics, ABI/TBI, forensics, substance abuse, etc. Incumbents in this class may be required to possess appropriate current licenses, certifications or permits. Must possess and retain a current/valid Motor Vehicle Operator's License. May be required to travel.

**For Staff Psychiatrist: General Experience:** Graduation from an Accredited Council of Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) psychiatric residency program. **Special Requirements:** Incumbents in this class must possess and retain a license to practice medicine and surgery in Connecticut. A temporary license may be granted for a period not to exceed one (1) year. Incumbents in this class must obtain certification as a specialist in psychiatry by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology within five years of appointment to this class OR demonstrate continued competency and proficiency in the practice of psychiatry by successfully completing an established agency program. Incumbents in this class must possess and maintain eligibility for participation in federal health care programs as defined in 42 U.S. 1320a-7b(f). Incumbents in this class may be required to possess appropriate current licenses, certifications or permits. Must possess and retain a current/valid Motor Vehicle Operator's License. May be required to travel.

**DUTIES:** Collaborates with the Intake Clinician in the assessment and triage of assigned new Young Adult Services clients for appropriateness of Psychiatric and Behavioral Health Services at the Waterbury Office of Western Connecticut Mental Health Network. Collaborates with the Intake Clinician in performing Risk Assessments on assigned new Young Adult Services clients admitted to the Waterbury Office of WCMHC; collaborates with the Intake Clinician in the development of the Initial Recovery Plan of all assigned newly-admitted clients. Provide direct care and clinical oversight to the WCMHN-Waterbury Young Adult Services multi-disciplinary treatment team in an outpatient setting for clients residing in the greater Waterbury area. Complete diagnostic assessments and provide initial treatment plan for individuals seeking behavioral health services at WCMHN-Waterbury. Duties to include emergency Psychiatric evaluations on existing clients when needed, providing clarification of current diagnoses, participation in risk assessment, and provision of conceptual framework for the development of comprehensive treatment plans that detail client goals, measureable objectives of change, specific interventions/services to be provided. Participates in critical incident reviews, provides liaison services to assigned clients who are hospitalized when needed; provides Probate Court testimony regarding conservatorship/other legal matters for assigned clients when necessary. Provide ongoing clinical services to a small cohort of young adult age range clients at 95 Thomaston Avenue who are receiving services from CSP, ACT or Recovery Programs.

**Note:** The filling of this position will be in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion and merit employment rules, if applicable.

**Application Instructions:** Due to the large number of lateral transfer forms and applications received, it is extremely important to note the **Position Number (found on the posting)** on the DMHAS Lateral Transfer Request Form (**upper right-hand corner**) and at the bottom of Page One of the State of Connecticut Application for Examination or Employment (CT-HR-12). The DMHAS Lateral Transfer Request Form, State of Connecticut Application for Examination or Employment (CT-HR-12) and postings can be found on the DMHAS website at [www.ct.gov/dmhas](http://www.ct.gov/dmhas) - Employment Opportunities.

**To be considered for this position:**

1. **DMHAS employees who are lateral transfer candidates=Principal Psychiatrist** - must submit a completed DMHAS Lateral Transfer Form. Lateral Transfer Request Forms received without a position number will not be processed
2. **DMHAS employees who are promotion/demotion candidates** must submit pages 1-7 of the State of Connecticut Application for Examination and Employment (CT-HR-12). The position number must be noted at the bottom of Page One of the State of Connecticut Application (CT-HR-12).
3. **All Other Candidates:** Individuals must complete a State Employment Application for Examination and Employment (CT-HR-12). Resumes and Curriculum Vitae can be provided as supplemental information but will only be accepted if attached to a fully completed application. The position number must be noted at the bottom of Page One of the State of Connecticut Application (CT-HR-12).

**PLEASE SEND APPLICATIONS TO:**

**Email:** [Julie.Roy@ct.gov](mailto:Julie.Roy@ct.gov)

**OR**

**Fax:** (203) 805-6440

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